



Solar Reflectance and Thermal Emittance for Residential and Nonresidential Roofs

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- Metal Building Mfrs Association
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- N. Amer. Zinc-Aluminum Coaters
- American Iron & Steel Institute

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-
- Oak Ridge National Laboratory
 - American Zinc Association

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Mission: Educate architects, building owners, specifiers, codes & standards officials and other stakeholders about the sustainable, energy-related benefits of metal roofing.



- May Workshop Presentation:

| Roof → Building | Low-Slope | Steep-Slope |
|--------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Residential | 2008 | 2008 |
| Non-Residential | 2005 | 2008 |



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May 17, 2006

CODE CHANGE PROPOSAL

2008 Title 24 Building Energy Efficiency Standards Update

| Roof → | Low-Slope | Steep-Slope |
|-----------------|-----------|-------------|
| Building | | |
| Residential | 2008 | 2008 |
| Non-Residential | 2005 | 2008 |

May 18, 2006

CODE CHANGE PROPOSAL

2008 Title 24 Building Energy Efficiency Standards Update

*Inclusion of Solar Reflectance
and Thermal Emittance
Prescriptive Requirements
for Residential Roofs in Title 24*

(Revised May 17, 2006)

*Inclusion of Solar Reflectance
and Thermal Emittance
Prescriptive Requirements
for Steep-Sloped Nonresidential Roofs
in Title 24*

(Revised May 18, 2006)



CODE CHANGE PROPOSAL

2005 Title 24 Building Energy Ef

*Inclusion of Cool Roofs
in Nonresidential Title 24
Prescriptive Requirements*

Points in Agreement



- Prescriptive requirements should be based on cost effective study
- Zones should be excluded from prescriptive requirements where cost effectiveness is not shown for all common roofing products
- 3-year aged properties should be used (CRRC) with appropriate default values

3-Year Aged Properties



- May Workshop Proposal (PIER):



- Use CRRC aged values ρ_{aged} , ϵ_{aged} if labeled
- If CRRC labels only initial values ρ_{initial} , $\epsilon_{\text{initial}}$, we estimate ρ_{aged} and ϵ_{aged} :
 - $\rho_{\text{aged}} = 0.20 + 0.70 \times (\rho_{\text{initial}} - 0.20)$ **Too lenient?**
 - $\epsilon_{\text{aged}} = \epsilon_{\text{initial}}$

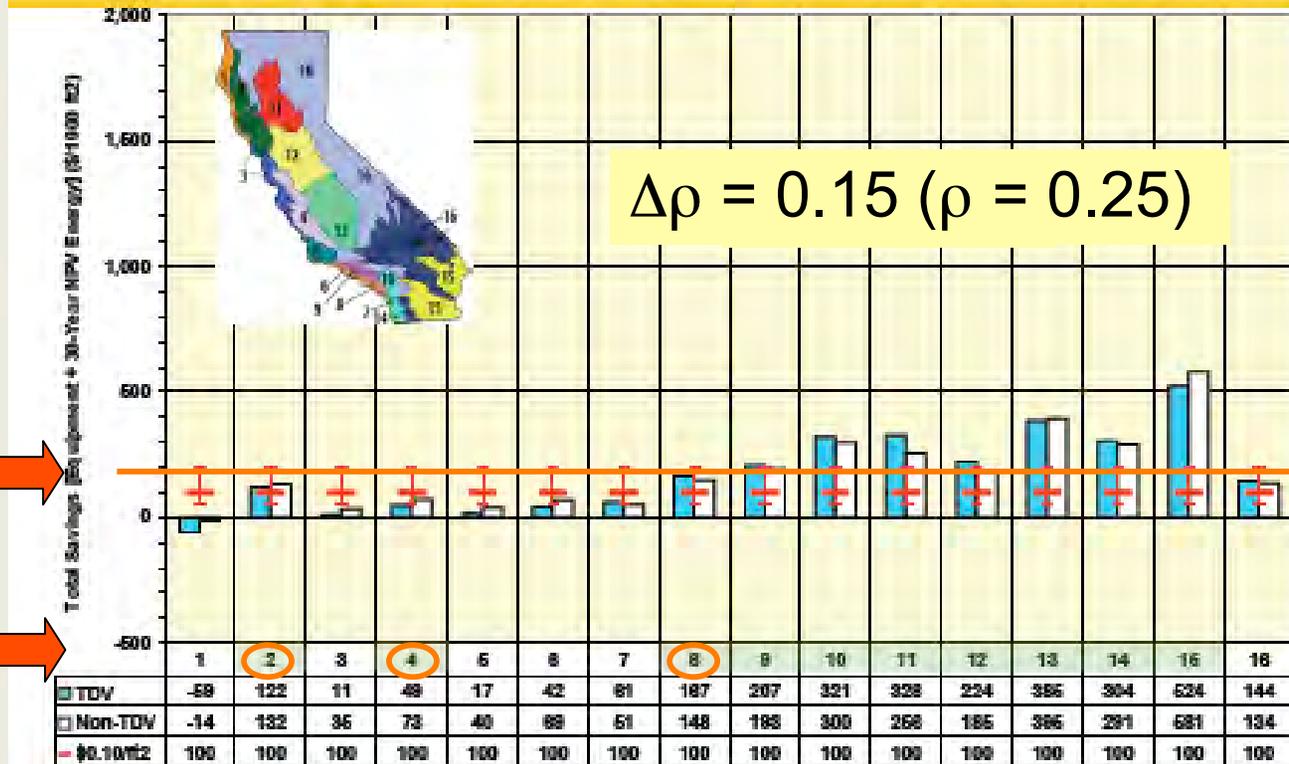


- If the product does not have a CRRC label, default values are
 - $\rho_{\text{aged}} = 0.10$
 - $\epsilon_{\text{aged}} = 0.75$

Steep-Slope Residential



30-Year Net Present Value of Savings (\$/1000 ft²):
 fiberglass asphalt shingle **with radiant barrier**



\$0.20/ft²

Excluded Zones

Zones that require radiant barrier shaded green

Steep-Slope Residential

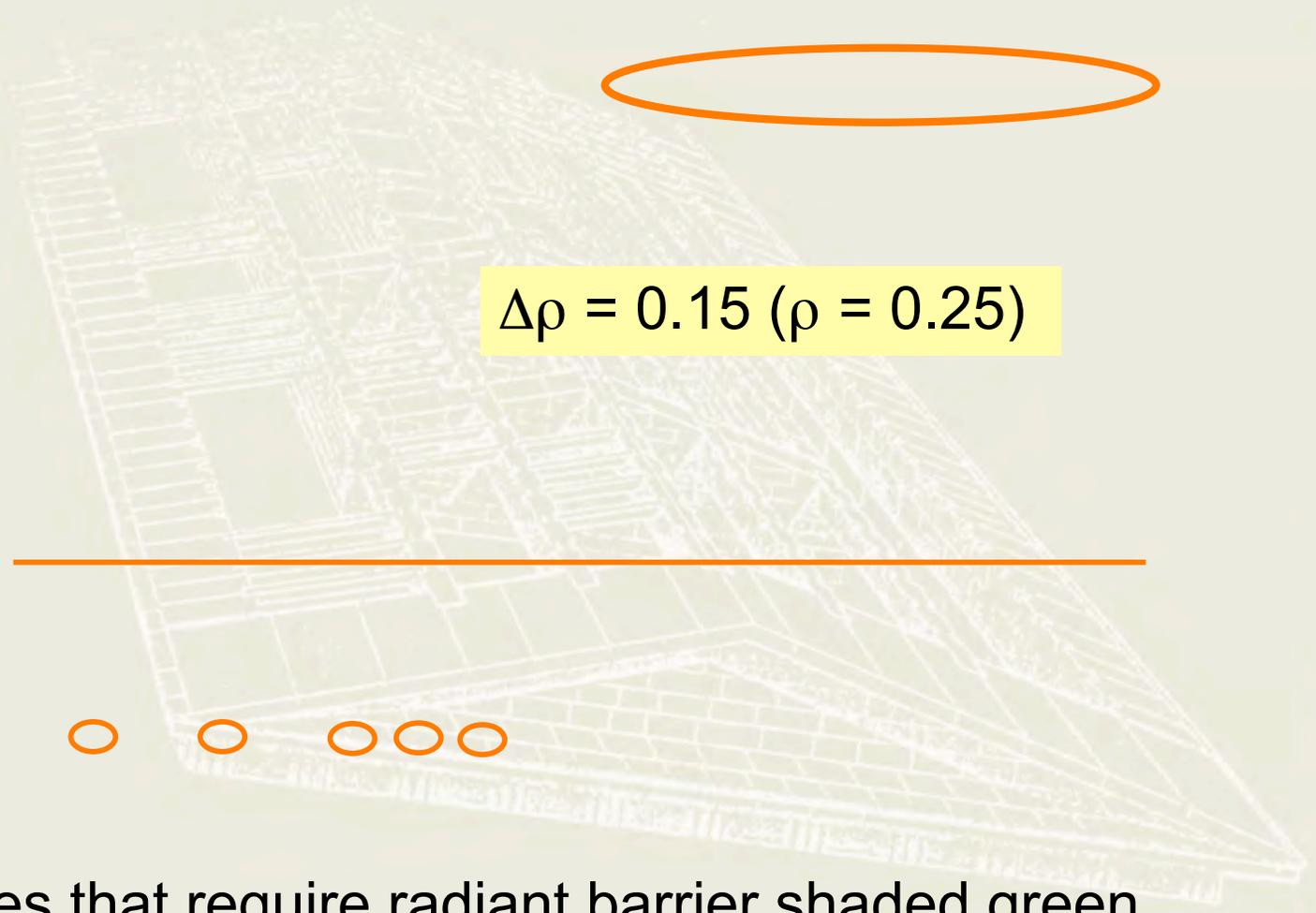


$$\Delta\rho = 0.15 \ (\rho = 0.25)$$

\$0.20/ft² →

Excluded Zones →

Zones that require radiant barrier shaded green



Steep-Slope Residential



- Steep-Slope Residential (PIER)

- All products

- ~~Fiberglass asphalt shingle~~ with $\epsilon_{\text{aged}} \geq 0.75$:

- $\rho_{\text{aged}} \geq 0.25$

- ~~All other products~~ with $\epsilon_{\text{aged}} \geq 0.75$:

- ~~$\rho_{\text{aged}} \geq 0.40$~~

- All products with $\epsilon_{\text{aged}} < 0.75$:

- ~~$\rho_{\text{aged}} \geq 0.40 + 0.31 * (0.75 - \epsilon_{\text{aged}})$~~

- $0.25 + 0.38$

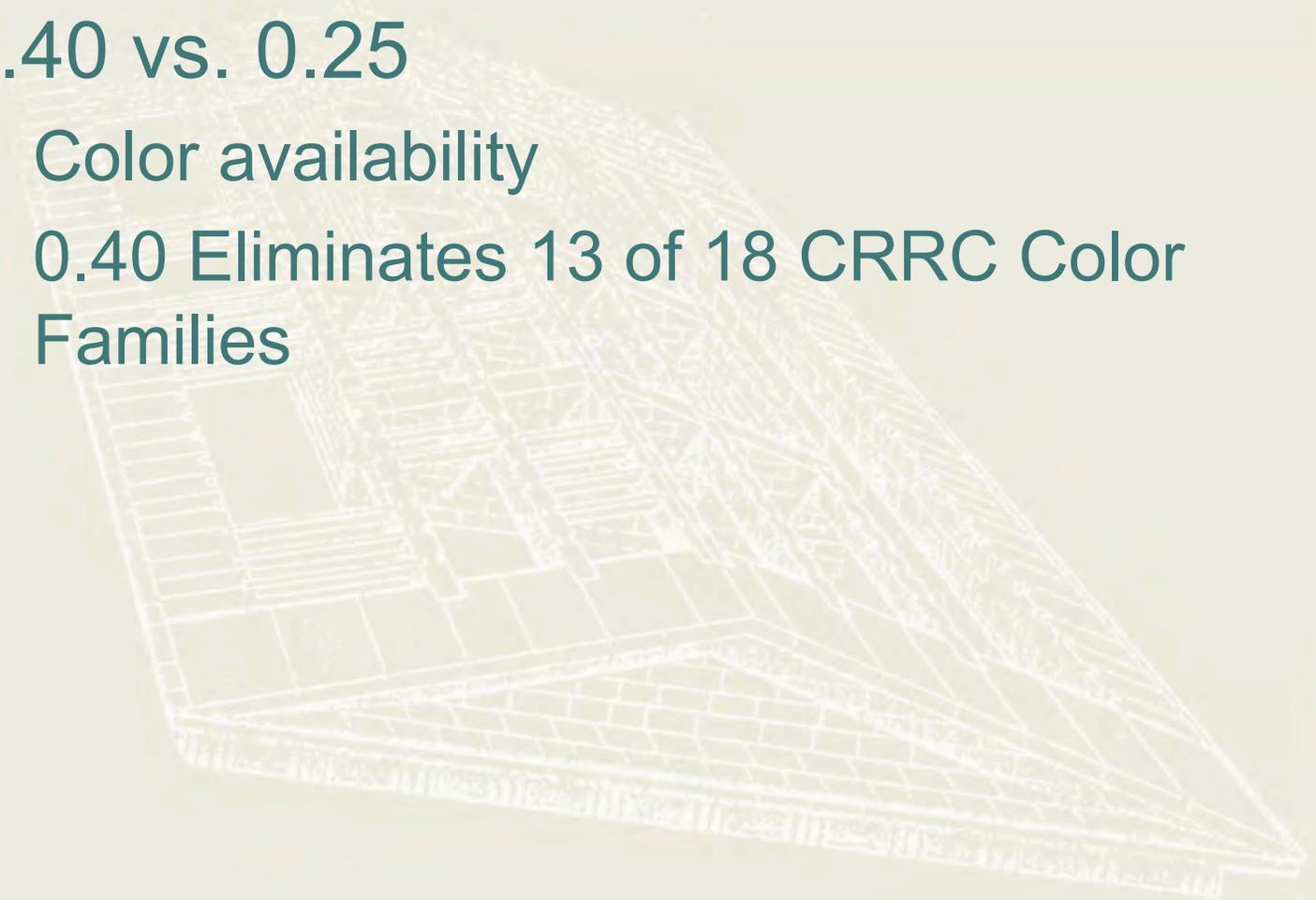


Zones Excluded = 1 through 8

Steep-Slope Residential and Nonresidential

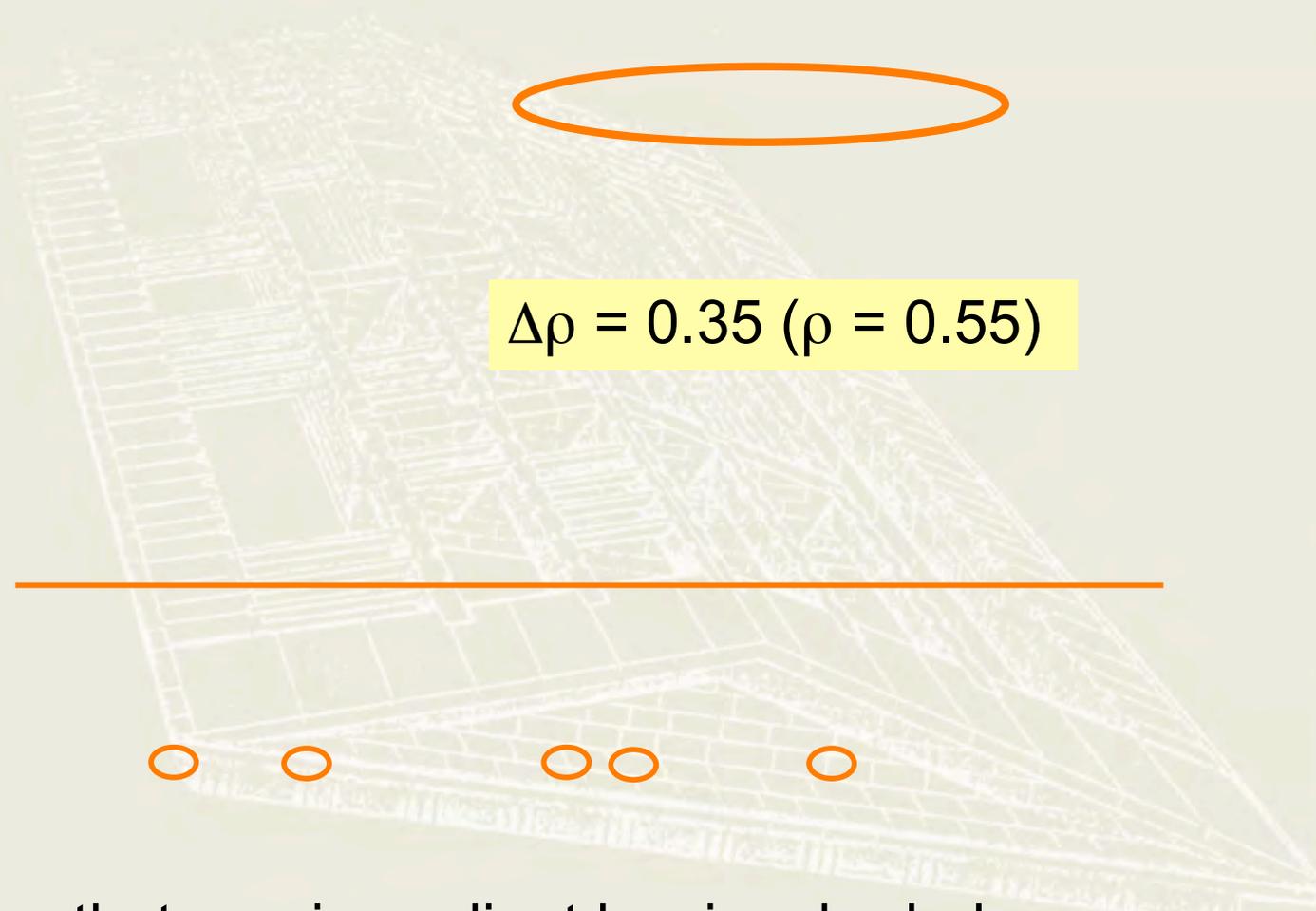


- 0.40 vs. 0.25
 - Color availability
 - 0.40 Eliminates 13 of 18 CRRC Color Families



Low-Slope Residential




$$\Delta\rho = 0.35 \quad (\rho = 0.55)$$

\$0.20/ft² →

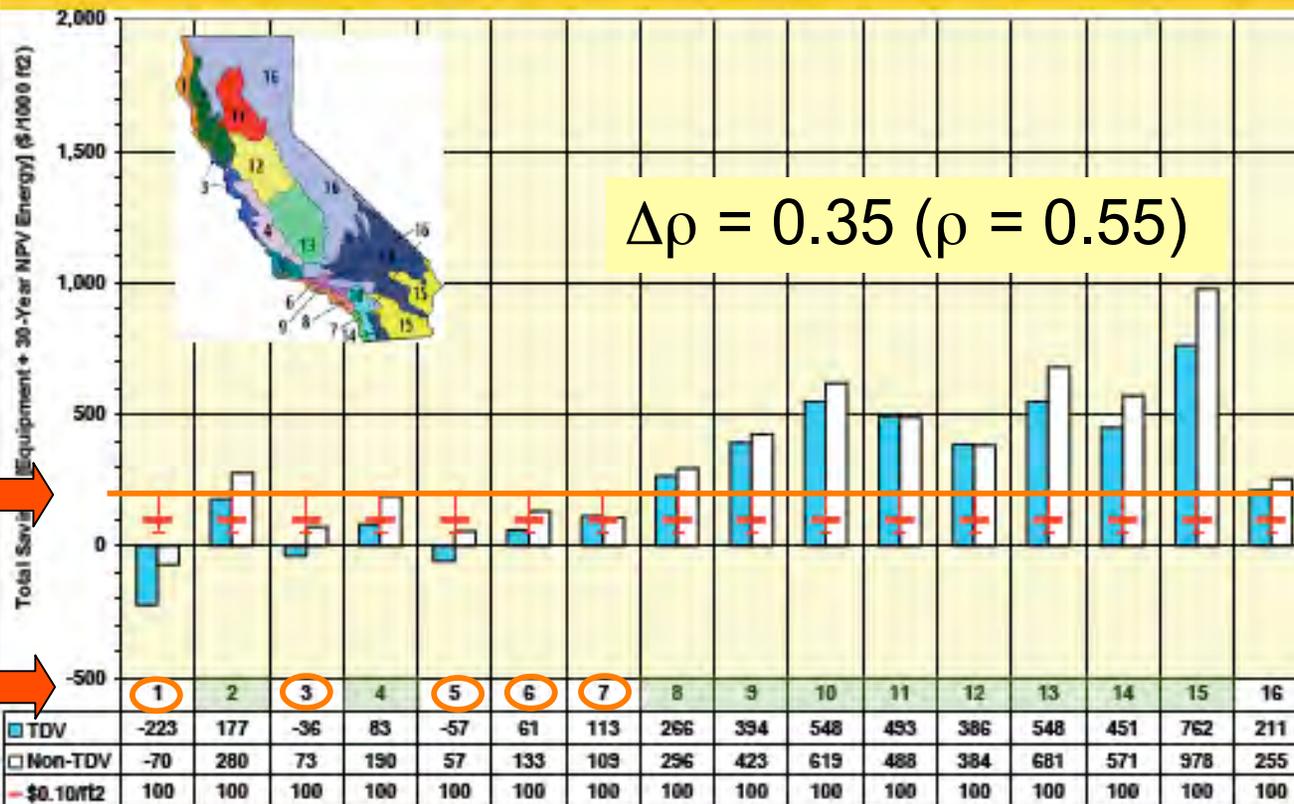
Excluded
Zones →

Zones that require radiant barrier shaded green

Low-Slope Residential



30-Year Net Present Value of Savings (\$/1000 ft²): built-up roof without radiant barrier



\$0.20/ft² →

Excluded
Zones →

Zones that require radiant barrier shaded green

Low-Slope Residential



- Low-Slope Residential (PIER)



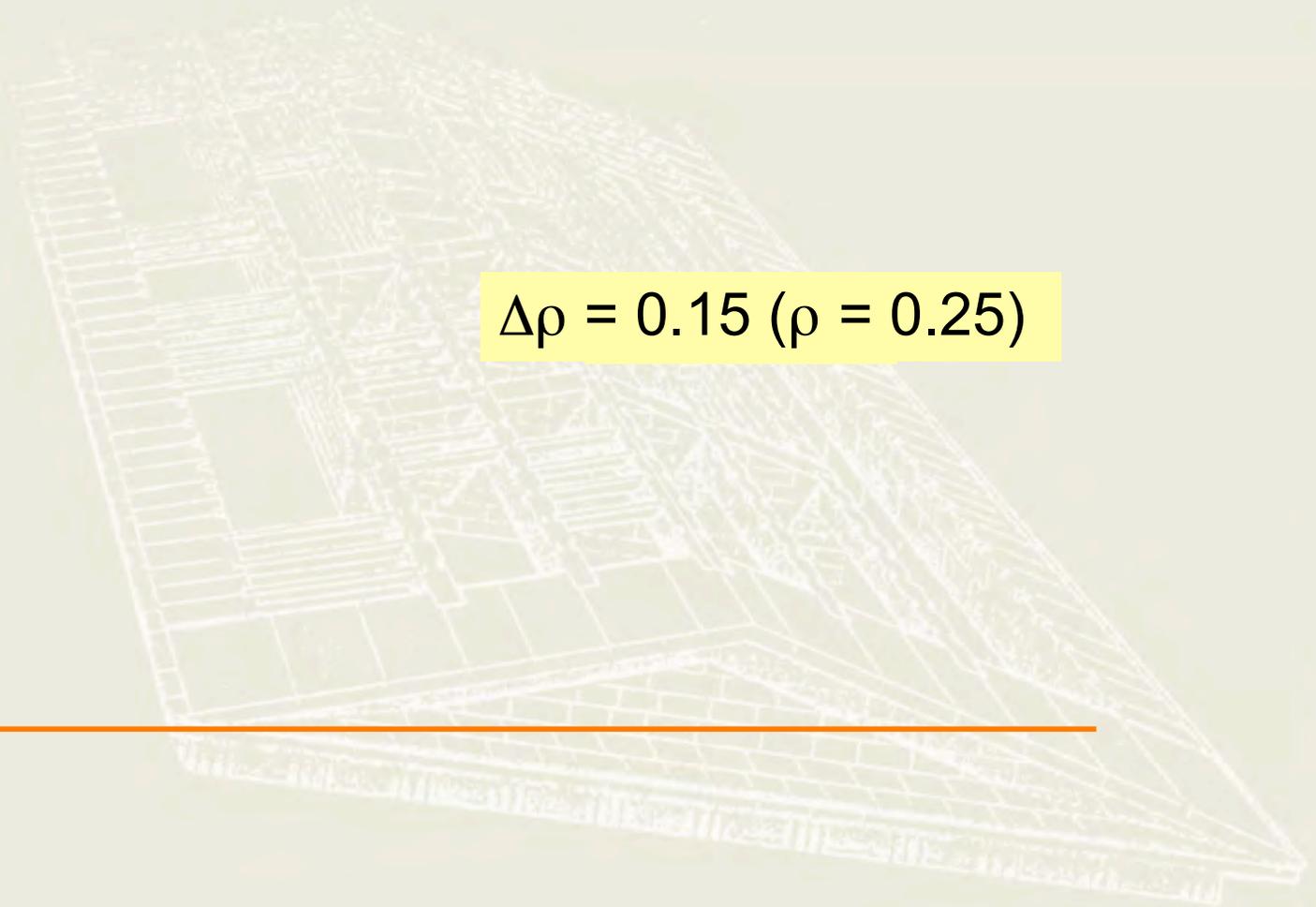
Zones Excluded = 1 through 9 and 12

Steep-Slope Nonresidential



$$\Delta\rho = 0.15 (\rho = 0.25)$$

\$0.20/ft² 



Steep-Slope Nonresidential



- Steep-Slope Nonresidential (PIER)

- All products

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- $0.25 + 0.38$



No Zones Excluded

Low-Slope Nonresidential



2005 Analysis

$$\Delta\rho = 0.35 (\rho = 0.55)$$

\$0.50/ft² →

Excluded
Zones →



Low-Slope Nonresidential



- Low-Slope Nonresidential



Zones Excluded = 1 through 5, 11, 12, and 16



Impact of 0.40 Reflectance Criteria on Roof Color Selection

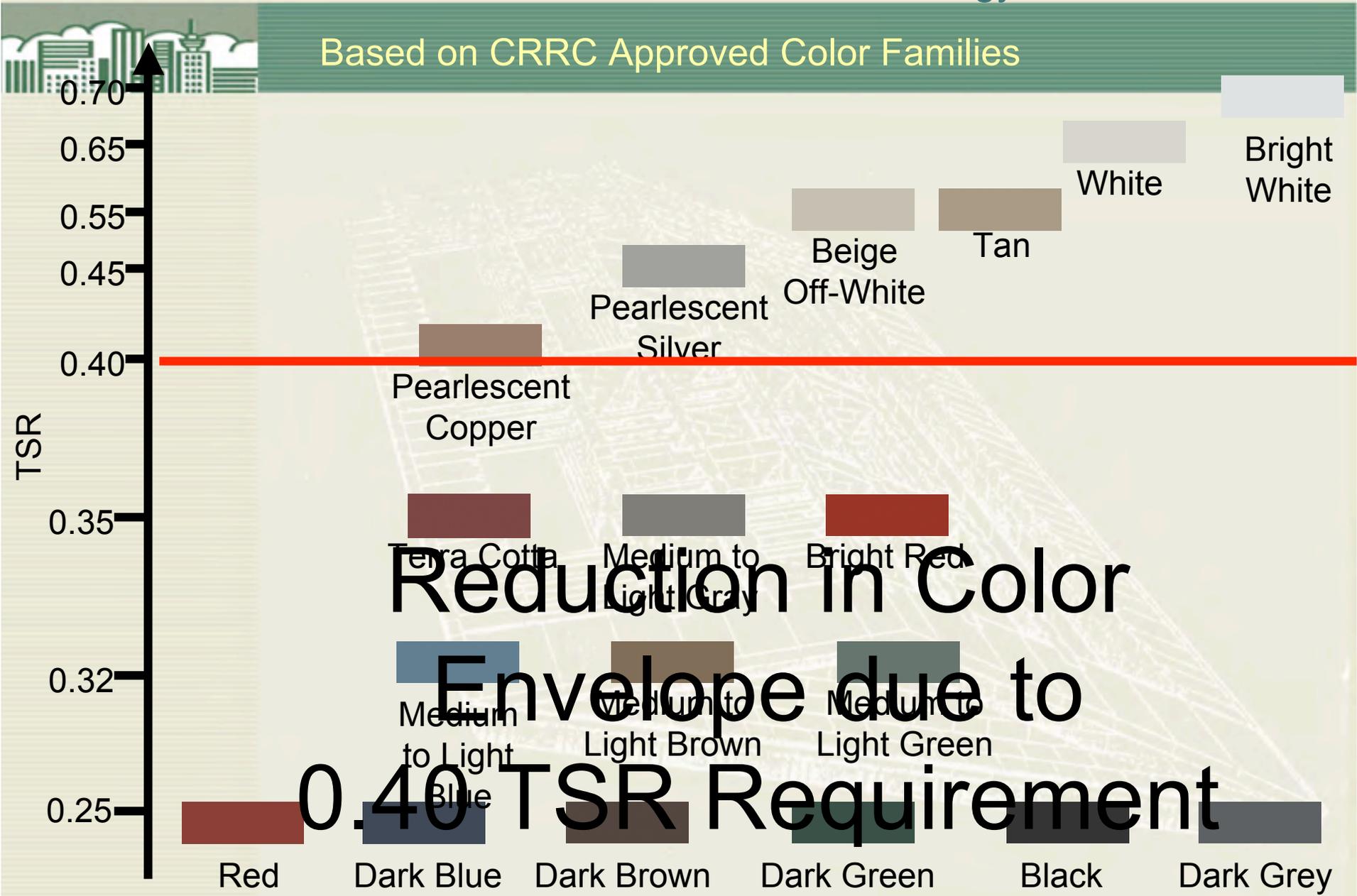
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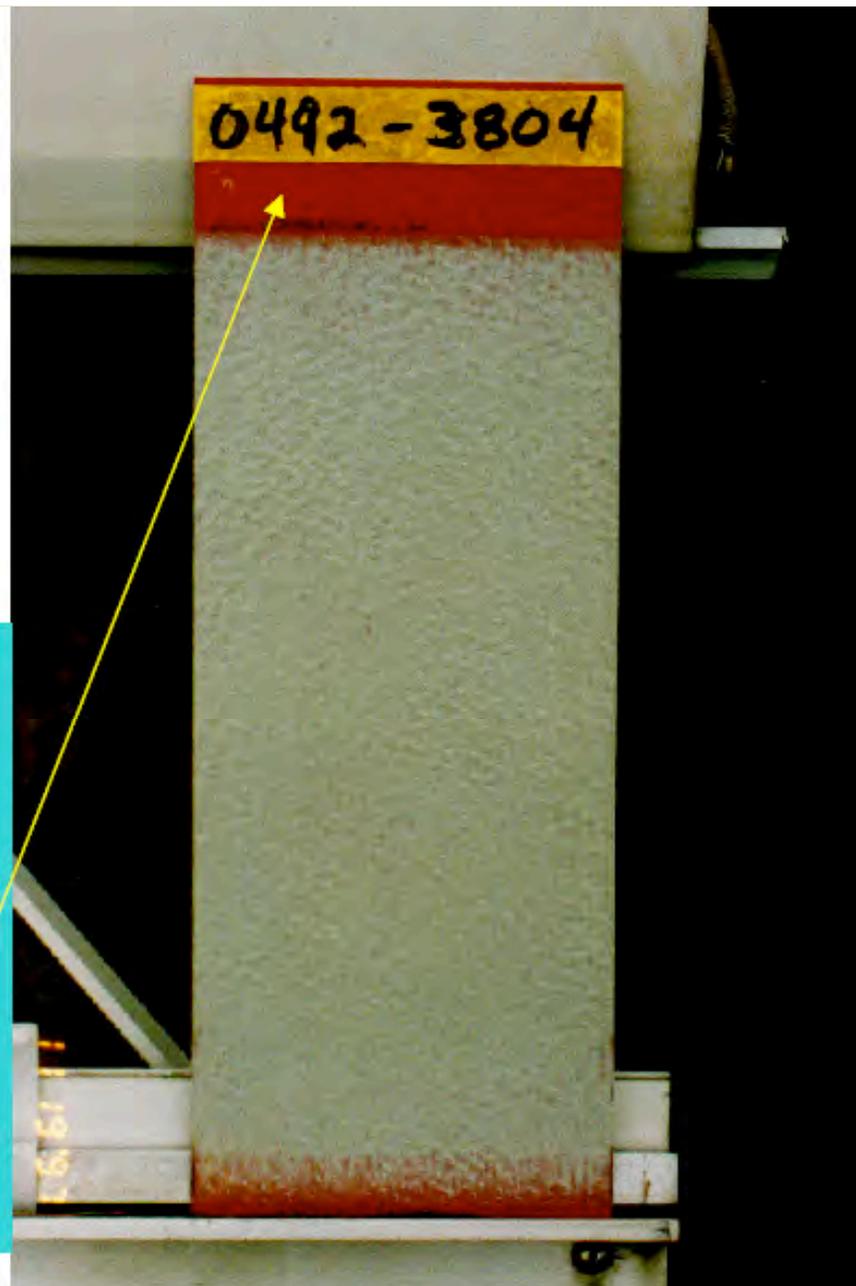
Effect of TSR Requirements on Color Envelope Based on State-of-the-Art Technology

Based on CRRC Approved Color Families



Color fade of organic pigments after long term Florida exposure- reds (I)

Commercial KYNAR 500® PVDF based coating with organic red pigment and UV absorbing clear coat after 5½ years in Florida, south 45 exposure. Original red color can be seen at the top underflap portion.



Organic and Inorganic Blue Pigments

Blue/titanium dioxide (tint) KYNAR 500® PVDF based coatings after 31 years in Florida.

Right: Phthalocyanine blue tint (color had completely faded within ten years- underside of coating, where it is peeling, has original color)

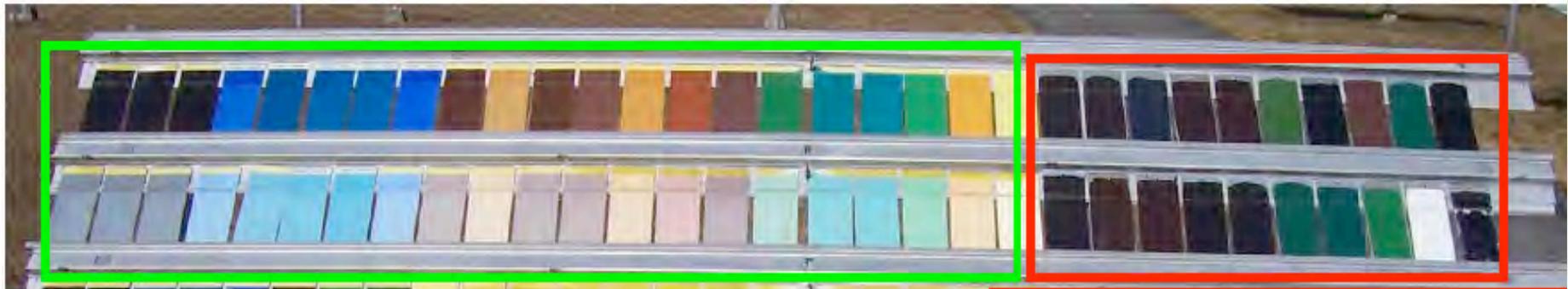
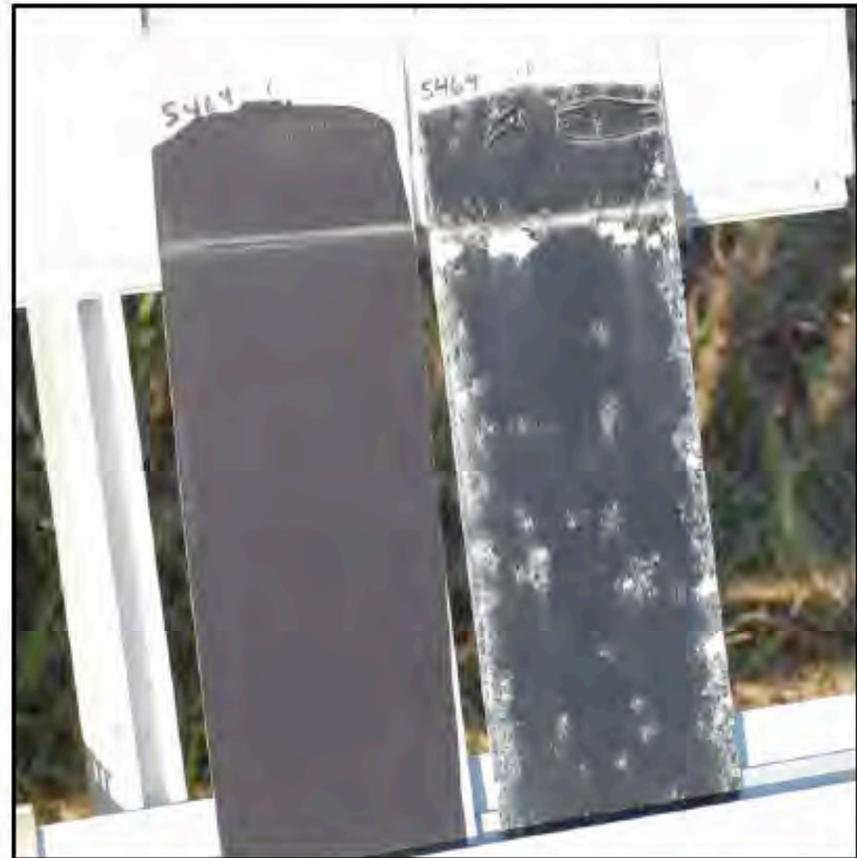
Bottom: KYNAR 500 PVDF coatings made using various metal oxide pigments, 33-39 years old



*Original color
(under flap)*

Color fade of organic pigments after long term Florida exposure- blacks

Arkema laboratory KYNAR 500 PVDF based coatings with high TSR black pigment (left) and carbon black pigment (right), after 5 years in Florida, south 45 exposure. From a 2001 exposure series comparing new pigment grades, most of them “cool roof” metal oxide pigments (entire series can be seen below):



12 year old metal oxide pigment study

5 year old cool roof study

Courtesy of Arkema Inc.

Organic pigment tint series using more durable organic pigment grades- Florida S45 weathering



